

IN THE ABSTRACT

Please amend the Abstract as follows:

-- A security management and audit of a business information system in accordance with an information security policy is simplified. Provided is a security management and audit program database 433 in which the information security policy and an object system correspond to management and audit programs. The management and audit program corresponding to a range of the information security policy and the object system, which are designated by an operator, is retrieved and automatically executed. The management and audit program performs a management and audit concerning an information security policy of an object system corresponding to itself. --